

Artemisia douglasiana Western Mugwort



PLANT DESCRIPTION

Plant Type: Herbaceous sub-shrub

Height/Width: 3-6 ft. H x 3-6 ft. W

Plant Form: Upright, spreads by rhizomes

Flower/Fruit: Small yellow flowers, not particularly showy. Blooms June - Oct

Leaf: Attractive, aromatic, silvery green on top and lighter on bottom

Native To: California

GROWING REQUIREMENTS

USDA Zones: 6 - 10

Soil: Well-drained

Water: Needs some summer water to look good in garden.

Sun: Full sun to part shade

Care and Pruning: Can be aggressive in well watered garden. Fast growth; cut back leggy growth before first flush of spring growth.

GARDEN USE Natural areas. Excellent cover and seeds for birds. Deer resistant. Long history of medicinal uses.

BOTANICAL GARDEN Medicinal Garden